

## MILPERSMAN 1050-400

### ACCRUED LEAVE CREDITABLE UPON RETIREMENT

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| <b>References</b> | (a) DJMS Procedures Training Guide (DEAS PTG) |
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#### 1. Policy

a. Accrued leave, creditable at the time of retirement, is compensable in a lump-sum payment not to exceed 60 days of basic pay. MILPERSMAN 7220-340 states that no member can sell back more than 60 days during a military career at the rate in effect the day prior to the date of retirement.

b. If the member is continued on active duty upon retirement, the lump-sum payment of accrued leave shall be made upon subsequent release from active duty at the rate in effect on the last day of the active duty.

c. Payment for leave accrued prior to 1 September 1976, which is referred to as saved leave, will include basic pay, basic allowance for quarters, and basic allowance for subsistence. Payment for leave accrued on or after 1 September 1976 will include basic pay only.

#### 2. Absence on Leave at the Time of Retirement

a. Absence on leave at the time of retirement or transfer to the Fleet Reserve, without the necessity of return to the separation site, if this is desired, should normally be granted when requested to preclude the loss of leave and to minimize accrued leave.

b. If leave without return to the separation site is desired, the member must actually have retirement or transfer to the Fleet Reserve orders in possession and have completed

separation processing prior to departure on leave. The retirement or transfer to the Fleet Reserve date must occur following completion of the authorized leave period.

c. Administrative and disbursing office procedures are contained in reference (a).